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SUBJECT: ICCS: BIOGRAPHIC DATA ON AMBASSADOR EUGENIUSZ KULAGA,

NEW CHIEF OF POLISH ICCS DELEGATION

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1. FOLLOWING IS SUMMARY BIOGRAPHY OF AMBASSADOR EUGENIUSZ KULAGA, RECENTLY NAMED HEAD OF POLISH ICCS DELEGATION, COMPILED FROM EMBASSY FILES AND NEWSPAPER CLIPPINGS OVER SEVERAL YEARS:

KULAGA WAS BORN NOVEMBER 1, 1925, AUBY, FRANCE. GREW UP IN FRANCE, CAME TO POLAND 1945. COMPLETED STUDIES AT MAIN SCHOOL OF FOREIGN SERVICE, ENTERED MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS 1946. ASSIGNED TO WASHINGTON AS CODE CLERK 1947-1950, RETURNED TO WARSAW TO MFA PROTOCOL SECTION 1950-1951. POSTED TO LONDON AS TRANSLATOR AND CODE CLERK, DECLARED PERSONA NON GRATA SEPTEMBER 1951 IN RETALIATION FOR POLISH PNG ACTION AGAINST OFFICER OF BRITISH EMBASSY WARSAW. WAS SECOND, LATER FIRST, SECRETARY AT POLISH PERMANENT MISSION TO UN 1952-1955, DEVELOPED HEART TROUBLE (ANGINA PECTORIS) AND RETURNED WARSAW. SERVED WITH POLISH ICS DELEGATION IN LAOS 1956 AND BECAME HEAD OF UN CONFIDENTIAL

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DIVISION OF MFA UNTIL 1958. WAS COUNSELLOR AT UN EUROPEAN

OFFICE, GENEVA, 1958-1962. SERVED AS AMBASSADOR TO GHANA 1962-1965 AND, CONCURRENTLY, TO MALI, SIERRA LEONE AND DAHOMEY. RETURNED TO WARSAW 1965 AS DEPUTY DIRECTOR DEPARTMENT V (ASIA AND AFRICA) IN MFA AND DIRECTOR 1967. SINCE 1969 HE HAS BEEN PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF POLISH UN DELEGATION IN NEW YORK. KULAGA IS A MEMBER OF COMMUNIST PARTY (PZPR). HE IS MARRIED AND HAS TWO DAUGHTERS BORN 1953 AND 1956. HE SPEAKS FLUENT FRENCH AND ENGLISH. WAS DESCRIBED IN 1961 AS REASONABLE, INTELLIGENT, RELAXED AND AT 1967 QUAKER CONFERENCE, AS SOFT-SPOKEN, WELL-INFORMED AND IMPARTIAL.

2. EMBASSY WARSAW WOULD APPRECIATE ANY ADDITIONAL PERSONALITY DATA WHICH MAY BE REVEALED DURING CONTACTS IN SAIGON PER REFTEL.
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